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The Honorable J. Paul Oetken United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007 By Fax: (212) 805-7991

Mr. Tsirelman's motion to withdraw (DK+. No. 144) is hereby granted.
The April 5 conference

Re: United States v. Vladimir Grinberg, et al.

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SO ORDERED:

Dear Judge Oetken:

I filed my Notice of Appearance as attorney for Defendante plantes Districts perioder today.

Last month, Mr. Grinberg's ption attorney, Gary Tsurelman, Esq., filed a motion to withdraw as his attorney, based upon a potential conflict of interest; your Honor scheduled the return date for that motion for this Thursday, April 5, 2012, at 9:30 a.m. In light of the fact that Mr. Grinberg now has conflict-free counsel, I believe that a court appearance on that date is no longer necessary. Accordingly, I write to request that Mr. Tsirelman's motion be granted, and that the court appearance set for this Thursday, April 5, 2012, be marked off the Court's calendar. Assistant United States Attorney Nicholas McQuaid consents to this application.

I thank the Court for its courtesy and assistance.

Sincerely,

cc: Nicholas McQuaid, AUSA Gary Tsirelman, Esq.

The Clerk of Court is Directed to: Term motion (doc. #144)

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